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In re application of:

Gerald P. Murphy et al.

Application No.: 09/301,380

Filed: June 15, 2001

For: NR-CAM GENE, NUCLEIC ACIDS

AND NUCLEIC ACID PRODUCTS

FOR THERAPEUTIC AND DIAGNOSTIC USES FOR

TUMORS

Examiner: K. Lacourciere

Technology Center/Art Unit: 1635

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 28, 2004, please enter the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.